

EXHIBIT A

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

IN RE: PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY
AVERAGE WHOLESALE PRICE
LITIGATION

THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO
ALL ACTIONS

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) MDL NO. 1456
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) CIVIL ACTION: 01-CV-12257-PBS
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) Judge Patti B. Saris
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CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING OF EDEN M. HEARD

Pursuant to Rule 83.5.3 of the Local Rules of the United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts, I, Eden M. Heard, Esq., hereby certify that: (1) I am admitted to the bars described in the foregoing motion; (2) I am a member of the bar in good standing in every jurisdiction where I have been admitted to practice; (3) No disciplinary proceedings are pending against me as a member of any bar in any jurisdiction; and (4) I am familiar with the Local Rules of the United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Eden M. Heard

Eden M. Heard, Esq.

Dated: March 24, 2006